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**From:** Noggle, William [Noggle.William@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** 7/19/2017 6:22:33 PM  
**To:** Minter, Douglas [Minter.Douglas@epa.gov]  
**CC:** Green, Holly [Green.Holly@epa.gov]; O'Connor, Darcy [oconnor.darcy@epa.gov]; Bahrman, Sarah [Bahrman.Sarah@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** RE: In-Situ Recovery Proposed Rule and R8 Permits

Thank you. I'll pass along the info.

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**From:** Minter, Douglas  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 19, 2017 2:12 PM  
**To:** Noggle, William <Noggle.William@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Green, Holly <Green.Holly@epa.gov>; O'Connor, Darcy <oconnor.darcy@epa.gov>; Bahrman, Sarah <Bahrman.Sarah@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: In-Situ Recovery Proposed Rule and R8 Permits

Greetings Bill: I am the UIC Unit Manager in EPA Region 8 and we are responsible for UIC Class III and V permitting for the proposed Dewey Burdock uranium ISR project through our direct implementation program in South Dakota. While myself and Valois Shea, our UIC permit writer, serve as the programmatic and technical leads for this project, Darcy O'Connor, our Assistant Regional Administrator for the Office of Water Protection, serves as our management contact.

Sincerely,

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USEPA Region 8  
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**From:** McWhirter, Lisa  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 18, 2017 8:33 AM  
**To:** Minter, Douglas <Minter.Douglas@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: In-Situ Recovery Proposed Rule and R8 Permits

Hi Douglas,

Please see below.

Thanks,  
Lisa

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**From:** Noggle, William  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 18, 2017 10:29 AM  
**To:** McWhirter, Lisa <McWhirter.Lisa@epa.gov>; Bayer, MaryRose <Bayer.MaryRose@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: In-Situ Recovery Proposed Rule and R8 Permits

Lisa, Mary,

Do you know who owns "Region 8 Underground Injection Control (UIC) Draft Area Permits and one associated proposed aquifer exemption decision for the Dewey-Burdock uranium in-situ recovery (ISR) site located near Edgemont, South Dakota, under the authority of the Safe Drinking Water Act and UIC program regulations?" I'm looking for both the office and action leads?

Thanks,  
Bill  
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**From:** Cogliano, Gerain  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 18, 2017 10:10 AM  
**To:** Hostage, Barbara <Hostage.Barbara@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Noggle, William <Noggle.William@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: In-Situ Recovery Proposed Rule and R8 Permits

- EPA Proposed Rule on Health and Environmental Protection Standards for Uranium and Thorium Mill Tailings under 40 CFR Part 192. Belongs to OAR/OIRA. In ADP Tracker it's SAN 5319; WG contacts are Ingrid Rosencrantz and Tom Peak.

- Region 8 Underground Injection Control (UIC) Draft Area Permits and one associated proposed aquifer exemption decision for the Dewey-Burdock uranium in-situ recovery (ISR) site located near Edgemont, South Dakota, under the authority of the Safe Drinking Water Act and UIC program regulations Belongs to OW. In ADP Tracker the closest item is SAN 5746 which covers State of North Dakota Section 1422 Underground Injection Control (UIC) Program Revision; Class VI Primacy Approval; WG contacts are Lisa McWhirter (OW/OGWDW) and Mary Rose Bayer (OW/OGWDW). (Bill is contacting Sandy for more info.)

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**From:** Noggle, William  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 18, 2017 9:45 AM  
**To:** Cogliano, Gerain <Cogliano.Gerain@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: In-Situ Recovery Proposed Rule and R8 Permits

SAN 5319 for the first one. Rosencrantz and Peake are the POCs. They'll probably know about the R8 action.

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**From:** Hostage, Barbara  
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**To:** Cogliano, Gerain <Cogliano.Gerain@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Noggle, William <Noggle.William@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: In-Situ Recovery Proposed Rule and R8 Permits

Good morning!

Can you check ADP Tracker (see yellow highlight below) and get back to Patrick with a cc to Barry, Becky, me?  
I am sure the Uranium and Thorium Mill Tailings under 40 CFR Part 192 is OAR/ORIA.  
Not sure if the R8 permit is in ADP Tracker yet – although it is definitely OW's.  
Would Sandy know?  
Thank you.

Barbara Hostage, Director  
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**Cc:** Hilosky, Nick <[Hilosky.Nick@epa.gov](mailto:Hilosky.Nick@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** FW: In-Situ Recovery Proposed Rule and R8 Permits

Barbara – Per Barry, can PARMS check whether this is OAR and get back to Patrick with a cc to Barry? Thank you. Becky

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**From:** Davis, Patrick  
**Sent:** Monday, July 17, 2017 2:21 PM  
**To:** Breen, Barry <[Breen.Barry@epa.gov](mailto:Breen.Barry@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** FW: In-Situ Recovery Proposed Rule and R8 Permits

Hi Barry,

To whom should I refer Sarah and Alex re: Uranium mining issues...

Thanks,

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**From:** Dominguez, Alexander  
**Sent:** Monday, July 17, 2017 12:24 PM  
**To:** Davis, Patrick <davis.patrick@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Greenwalt, Sarah <greenwalt.sarah@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** In-Situ Recovery Proposed Rule and R8 Permits

Hey Patrick,

Hope you had a good weekend. I just got out of a meeting and there are two items the Administrator and Sarah are looking for a status update on and to discuss with the appropriate staff.

- EPA Proposed Rule on Health and Environmental Protection Standards for Uranium and Thorium Mill Tailings under 40 CFR Part 192.
- Region 8 Underground Injection Control (UIC) Draft Area Permits and one associated proposed aquifer exemption decision for the Dewey-Burdock uranium in-situ recovery (ISR) site located near Edgemont, South Dakota, under the authority of the Safe Drinking Water Act and UIC program regulations

If these aren't in your wheelhouse just let me know and I'll field to the appropriate staffer/office for Sarah to have a discussion with.

Appreciate it,  
Alex

**Alex Dominguez**  
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